IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Marc Schneiderman

Serial No.:

09/838,806

Conf. No.:

3517

Filed:

04/20/2001

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING

PARALLEL EXECUTION OF COMPUTING TASKS IN HETEROGENEOUS COMPUTING ENVIRONMENTSUSING

AUTONOMOUS MOBILE AGENTS

Art Unit:

2127

Examiner:

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<u>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL</u>

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

	As Amended		Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee	
Total Claims	44		44	=	0	_ x	\$ 50.00	=	\$	0
Independent Claims	4		7		0	x	\$200.00	=	\$	0
Fee for Multiple Dependen	t Claims						\$360.00	=	\$	0
Total Additional Fee								\$	0	
Small Entity Fee (reduced by half)							\$			

(\mathbf{X}) Amendment	В

- If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached **(X)** response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application (X) under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

May 26, 2005

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Respectfully submitted,

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Art Unit: 2195

Examiner: Shah, Nilesh R.

AMENDMENT B

Mail Stop After Final Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 6, 2005, please amend the application as follows: